

New Yorkers For A Day

Japan Has a Commercial Museum to Foster Trade by Imparting a General Idea of Commerce and Industry.

By Roger Batchelder.

There are constant complaints that the United States is neglecting its export trade, and in this connection comes information that Canada, Germany, Great Britain, etc., are doing this and that to stimulate foreign business. And now we have a report from Japan from William Broadhead, who is at the Belmont.

"Japan has established a great commercial museum at Osaka," he said to-day. "Its object is to develop and give impetus to Japan's commerce and industry and its activities are devoted to the development of the industrial arts, the assistance and encouragement of inventing, and the imparting of a general idea of commerce and industry to the public at large."

"Six bureaus, each with a different function, direct this work. They obtain goods from other countries for comparison and reference, as well as newly invented articles and Japanese products."

"The museum gives disinterested and reliable information and assistance in nearly every phase of foreign trade, from the investigation of certain commodities to translating and letter writing. Reports on foreign and domestic market conditions are distributed without charge, and an elaborate library contains trade information of every character."

A STORY AND A SIMILE.
"How far can a dog run into the woods?" asked the dog, experienced director of a younger member of the board," relates F. D. Van Amburgh of Binghamton, who is at the McWipin.

"As far as he likes," replied the latter.
"Not so," said the tempest-trying older, "for when the dog gets half way in the woods, he is running out of the woods."

"American business," Mr. Van Amburgh continued, "is in the position of the dog. It is on the last lap of the long trail of prosperity. Financially, politically, commercially and industrially, we are improving. As business men we are beginning to believe this, and when we begin to believe, we begin to buy, sell and do things. And when we do things, everybody, everywhere, receives his share of the country's success. It is my belief that our depression has been due to a mental more than a material situation—that when we think up, talk up and buy up, and not until then, business will pick up."

"AS OTHERS SEE US."
"New York has the reputation of being second only to the jungle in wildness," remarked J. H. Johnson of Alberta, Canada, at the Martinique. "For years, Chinatown and the Bowery have signified sordid, desperate Chinamen and lurking people of the underworld who are ready to kill you for a quarter."

"I started out for myself to look over these historic sections, and while I found them interesting, I didn't get a single thrill. A taxi took me to the Bowery, and I walked down to the Chinese quarter. The only incidents took place when a second-hand clothing man tried to pull me into his store, when a man asked me for a dime, and when another wanted to act as guide in Chinatown. Personally I prefer Broadway at night and downtown New York at noon as novelties."

OREGON ELATED AT PROSPERITY.
"We have just begun to realize one of our dreams of many years—to have an export business," said Thomas P. Blair of Portland, Ore., at the Astor. "We have made rapid strides during the past year by widening and deepening the Columbia River to Astoria—a distance of more than 100 miles—and now ocean steamers can dock there. In view of the preferential freight rates we get the biggest percentage of the agricultural shipments of Washington, Oregon and Idaho."

"We of the Northwest feel that we have passed the business crisis and are on the way to prosperity again. In a way, we were prepared for the depression. The lumber industry, which have been closed down for a year, are now starting up, and other kinds of business likewise reflect better times."

HE LIKES OUR SCHOOLS.
"I am much interested in your fine schools in the United States," remarked H. C. Griffith, Headmaster of Ridley College, St. Catharines, Ont. "The system of boys' private schools in Canada differs greatly from yours. Ours are more of the English type, and there are no military schools in either England or Canada."

"Boys will be boys, and young man nature is about the same everywhere," he went on, when asked his opinion of military schools. "I can't say that I have found those who had military training more accurate or punctual. But there is no truth in the belief that such lads are likely to become militaristic and desire war. One might as well say it is gambling crime to have policemen on the street. I believe that the boy or man who knows all about war is the one who wishes to keep away from it. On that premise, military schools are an excellent auxiliary for fostering peace."

FARTHEST FROM HOME.
"The 'New Yorker for a Day or Two' who is farthest from home to-day is Isao Yamamoto, who is at the Pennsylvania. His home town, Tokio, is about 7,500 miles from Broadway."

DIES, VICTIM OF HIS HEROISM.
Charles J. Raymond, seventy, of No. 610 East 124th Street, Bronx, who on Dec. 27 at Southern Boulevard and 194th Street, saved his infant grandson from being run down by a motor truck, and was himself injured, died yesterday at Lincoln Hospital.

MRS. BETTY R. TABER WEDS GRAND RAPIDS FURNITURE MAN



MRS. BETTY R. TABER

Well Known Society Woman To-Day Becomes Mrs. Alexander Hompe.

The marriage of Mrs. Betty R. Taber, well-known socially in New York and Long Island, to Mr. Alexander Hompe, President of the Grand Rapids Furniture Company and prominent Michigan financier, will be solemnized to-day in the rectory of the Church of the Blessed Sacrament in West 71st Street, the Rev. Leo Ryan officiating.

Mrs. Taber will be given away by her brother-in-law, Mr. John Campbell of Belrose, L. I. Her bridesmaid will be Miss Louise Luttrell of New York and Knoxville, Tenn. Mr. Samuel Hutchinson is Mr. Hompe's best man.

After a reception at the home of the bride, No. 215 West End Avenue, Mr. and Mrs. Hompe will leave the city for a few days, returning on Saturday, when they will sail for Europe. After a few weeks' stay in London and Paris they will go to the Riviera, where they will remain until May. Upon their return they will make their home in Grand Rapids.

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B. H. N.
Jan. 5, 1922.



\$1.89 Silk Net Flouncing and Radium Laces \$1.19

This embroidered net is effective for party frocks. In wanted shades and black 36 in. wide. Radium Allover Laces in black only; 36 in. wide.

48c Camisole Embroidery 29c

Wide selection of attractive patterns.



39c Venise Lace Collars, 15c

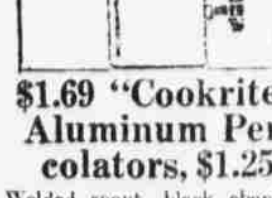
In cream only, but there are many of the smartest ones to select from.



\$4 to \$5 Curtains and Bed Sets \$2.66

Marquise or voile Dutch curtains. Marquise or voile panels. Nottingham lace curtains. Lacet Arabian panels with large medallion motifs.

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Welded spout, black enameled wood handles, glass top; 8-cup size.

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"Cookrite" 16-gauge combination cooker, 5-quart capacity.

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FRIDAY BARGAIN SALES! Fine \$1 Undermuslins



Men's & Boys' \$2 Sweaters, \$1

Pull-over sleeveless style made of ALL WORSTED KHAKI. Fit close to the body—not bulky. Boys' Sets—pullover, sleeveless sweaters, with caps to match. Sizes 8 to 18—BARGAIN FRIDAY.

Men's \$1.50 to \$2 Madras Shirts, \$1

Woven madras shirts, crepe madras, high count percales, flat and raised cord madras. There is such a variety of colors and combinations that it is useless to describe them.

Namm's—Main Floor.

Gowns 74c Chemises Petticoats

Every piece worth more. They are exceptionally dainty; the gowns of flesh or white, lace, satin and embroidery trimmed. You'll find the other pieces equally pretty, and it is to your advantage to buy a full season's supply.

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12½c Toweling and 12½c Towels, \$1.25

Kitchen or roller toweling, with fast red borders, yd. 8½c. Huck or Turkish towels, at each 8½c

Table Cloths, \$1.25

Of a good grade of mercerized damask, hemstitched, 54x56, scalloped; 58 inches round. 79c

59c Tussah Silks, 39c

36 inches wide, plain tussah silks; heavy lustrous quality. Excellent colors.

\$5 Plush Coating, \$2.48

Rich tussah black, 52 inches wide. Ideal for coats, collars, cuff trimmings, etc.

39c Sateen Linings, Yard, 19c

Namm's—Main Floor.

\$28.50 Wool Velvet Rugs, \$19.95

Add Impetus to the Great Opening Sale, Friday

Seamless, 9x12 ft., all wool woven rugs—Bargain Friday's wonderful offering in the Fourth Floor Introductory Rug Sale! Specially purchased and specially low priced!

\$37 to \$40 Axminster Rugs, 9x12 Ft., \$27.77

\$21 Seamless 9x12 Ft. \$42.50 Seamless 9x12 Axminster Rugs, \$32.88

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Annual Black Silk Sale Features \$1.59 Black Satin Messaline

Another Friday Bargain pre-eminent! This messaline of fine lustrous quality. For dresses, blouses and slips. 36 inches wide. \$1.29

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Namm's—Main Floor.

29c Stamped Pieces, 12½c

Children's dresses of fine lawn, girls' sleeveless dresses, centerpieces, hats included. The quantity limited, the saving important enough to cause an early visit.

Men's \$1.89 Cotton Union Suits, \$1

A wonderful opportunity like this is a rarity that isn't likely to occur again for years. Derby ribbed, fleeced suits in ecru and gray. Sizes 34 to 46. "WHITE SALE" Friday value!

49c to 55c Ribbons, 39c

Jacquard ribbons, 5-inch width in wide color variety. Moires, satins, and taffetas.

Women's 19c Linen Hdkfs, 12½c

Fine all linen handkerchiefs, daintily embroidered. Friday bargains much to the liking of particular women.

\$1.97 Umbrellas, \$1.69

Fine quality rainproof umbrellas with smart ring, cord loop or leather trimmed handles. Paragon frames. Silk cases.

75c to 98c Brassieres, 48c

A very special purchase of brassieres and bandeaux, saving substantially on favorite styles and materials. Sizes 34 to 46.

\$1.25 Velvet Handbags, 79c

The new balloon shape bags with metal tops and mirrors inside. In brown, black, taupe and navy. Most pleasing bargains.

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Namm's—Second Floor.



\$1.49 Wash Suits \$1

Friday Values—Boys' Week Middy and Oliver Twist models of Peggy cloth, flannelette and chambray. Pretty trimmed. Sizes 3 to 8.

Namm's—Second Floor.



Women's \$1.25 to \$1.39 Wool Hose 79c

Slight "seconds" of these smart looking, warm stockings in heather mixtures. Boys' 44c & 59c Cotton Hose, 35c

Namm's—Main Floor.



29c Stamped Pieces, 12½c

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Namm's—Third Floor.



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A wonderful opportunity like this is a rarity that isn't likely to occur again for years. Derby ribbed, fleeced suits in ecru and gray. Sizes 34 to 46. "WHITE SALE" Friday value!

Namm's—Main Floor.



\$10 Pure Cotton Mattresses, \$5.50

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